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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE – GROUP ART UNIT 1636

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Matthias G. von Herrath Art Unit: 1636
Application No.: 09/336,672 Examiner: William O. Sandals
Filed: June 17, 1999
Title: COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS FOR THE TREATMENT OR
PREVENTION OF AUTOIMMUNE DIABETES (As Amended)

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a Response to the Final Office Action mailed on December 31, 2002.

The requested extension is for Two (2) Months, extending the period for response from March 31, 2003 to May 31, 2003.

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CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.8	
I hereby certify that the documents referred to as enclosed herein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail on this date, May 30, 2003, in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop AF, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450	
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Enclosed is Check No. 537867 in the total amount of \$345.00; which consists of \$205.00 for the Two (2) Months Extension of Time fee and \$140.00 for the Multiple Dependent claims fee. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge for any other required fees associated with the filing submitted herewith, or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 50-1355. A copy of this Petition Sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: May 30, 2003



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